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Sent: Wednesday, January 26, 2022 4:03 PM
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Subject: RE: Just fyi (blockade at border crossing) - Fwd: Global News inquiry

On it. Lots of social media activity in last 24 hrs and trying to get a grip on all of it. Event now planned from Coutts to Fort Mac. Bill

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Thanks Bill, had not heard about the Leg piece either, that is one we should start working up immediately to Sheriffs / EPS as well as to DMO.

Thanks,

Marlin

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Tracking on a number of events for the 29th, including calls for a truck protests at the legislature. Will share with RCMP and POJ.

Bill

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Good Afternoon John, Peter, Bill,

This just into me from our DMO. I was not aware of this planned blockade and wanted to make sure you were aware of this.

Bill, Peter,

Any info you can share with the RCMP on this would be very appreciated.

John,

For your awareness, just out of caution. If your team is already alive to this and can share anything in terms of planning or intel with us, that would be most appreciated.

Thanks very much all,

Marlin

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Just an FYI if you haven't seen this already!

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Hi Alex,

Not sure if this is a question for the ministry of justice or another ministry – if not you, I'm hoping you can point me in the right direction. I've attached a Facebook post that's been circling in southern Alberta ahead of a blockade that's apparently planned at the Coutts border crossing on Saturday morning. Is the province aware of this protest, and is it working with law enforcement or CBSA to proactively take steps ahead of a disruptive demonstration like this?

Thank you,

Danica Ferris

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